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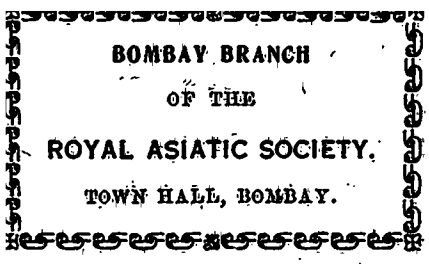

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PREFACE

In 1923 the Indian Historical Records Commission recommended to the Government of India that the pre-mutiny records in the custody of the Imperial Record Dept should be carefully classified according to the relative importance of their subject matter. The Government of India went further and decided to have the more important records properly indexed. It was, however, soon discovered that indexing demanded more time, more labour and greater technical equipment on the part of the staff engaged and the indexing work was, therefore, temporarily abandoned in order to expedite the comparatively easier work of classification which was satisfactorily completed in February 1940. The question of compiling an exhaustive index is now under the consideration of the Government, but as it is not possible to frame a comprehensive scheme without the requisite data it was decided to prepare, at the first instance, the index of a small series, *viz.*, the Land Revenue Records, on lines approved by the Indian Historical Records Commission at the meeting held on the 14th December, 1939. The earliest revenue records of the East India Company are no longer in the keeping of the Government of India. They were transferred to the Government of Bengal when that Government was constituted as a separate provincial administration on 14th November, 1834, according to the provisions of the Charter Act of 1833. The present series, therefore, dates, with the exception of a few miscellaneous documents of 1830 and the following years, from June 1834. The present volume supplies a consolidated index to the documents of the first eight years, *i.e.*, 1830-37.

2. The records, now indexed for the first time, do not lack either in general interest or historical importance. They cover a variety of subjects including cultivation of silk, cotton and tea, coal, copper and lead mines, artificial irrigation, the future of the once important office of *Qanungos*, assessment of cotton growing lands in the Bombay Presidency, the defects of the revenue survey then prevailing, resumption of *inam* lands and the legal status of the European landholders in India. Among the distinguished personages whose views are embodied in these papers were Lord William Bentinck, Sir Charles Metcalfe, William Blunt, Alexander Ross, Henry Shakespear, Col. William Morison, Major Irvine and Captain Herbert.

3. A few words may be added here about the method of transliteration, abbreviation and references adopted in this index by way of explanation. In transliterating Indian place names the Imperial Gazetteer of India and the Provincial Gazetteers have been in most cases followed. But in certain cases when the particular place names were not available in any Gazetteers, the spelling adopted in the Century Atlas has been accepted. Oriental words have been transliterated more or less after Wilson's *Glossary of Judicial and Revenue Terms* and Whitworth's *Anglo-Indian Dictionary* and have been printed in italics. The references are to the date and number of the progs, *e.g.*, 15-10-35 (10) stands for Consultation 15th October 1835 No. 10. Besides these references attempts have been made to indicate the condition and distinguishing

features of the paper whenever necessary by means of letters of alphabet within round brackets, thus—

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A glossary has been added to the index to explain obsolete and unfamiliar revenue terms in which these documents abound and a list of abbreviations has also been given.

4. Every endeavour has been made to give the student an accurate idea of the scope and nature of the 2,400 documents covered by the present volume of index as well as their subject matter. It is hoped that this index will enable him to ascertain without undue difficulty the utility or inutility of the documents of this particular series with reference to the special subject of his investigation and to locate the relevant records without any waste of time and labour.

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Abbreviations

(*a*) *Used in the Index*

A. G. G.	denotes	Agent to the Governor General.
Asst	,,	Assistant.
B.	,,	Board.
B. S.	,,	Body Sheet.
Bet.	,,	Between.
Br.	,,	British.
C.P.	,,	Central Provinces.
Commr	,,	Commissioner.
Dept	,,	Department.
Dist.	,,	District.
Dy	,,	Deputy.
E. I. Coy	,,	East India Company.
Gov.-Gen.	,,	Governor-General.
Govt	,,	Government.
Judl	,,	Judicial.
M.	,,	Member.
Mily	,,	Military.
Mis.	,,	Miscellaneous.
N.-W. P.	,,	North-Western Provinces.
Pol.	,,	Political.
Presy	,,	Presidency.
Progs	,,	Proceedings.
Q. M. G.	,,	Quarter Master General.
Reg.	,,	Regulation.
Rev.	,,	Revenue.
Sec.	,,	Secret or Section.
Secy	,,	Secretary.
Supdt	,,	Superintendent.
Supg	,,	Superintending.
U. P.	,,	United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

(*b*) *Used in the Glossary*

Ar.	denotes	Arabic.
Beng.	„	Bengali.
Engl.	„	English.
Guj.	„	Gujarati.
H.	„	Hindi.
Karn.	„	Karnata.
Mal.	„	Malayalam.
Mar.	„	Marathi.
P.	„	Persian.
Skt	„	Sanskrit.
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GLOSSARY

A

ABADI (P. *abad*, occupied). Inhabited place; population; cultivated land.

ABKAR (P.) Distiller. **ABKARI.** Business of distilling or selling strong waters; excise upon such business.

ABWAB (Ar. pl. of *bab*, a section). Heads or subjects of taxation, or the taxes which were imposed by the Muhammadan Governments in addition to the regular assessment on the land.

AIMA (P.). Land granted by the Moghul Government, either free of rent or subject to a small quit rent to learned and religious persons of the Muhammadan faith, or for religious and charitable uses.

AIMADAR (P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). The holder of *aima* land.

AIN JAMA (Ar. *ain*, special, nett, principal, *jama*, collection). The regular or standard collections or revenue, fixed exclusive of extra cesses.

ALTAMGHA (from Turkish *al*, red, and *tamgha*, a stamp or impression). A grant under the royal seal conferring a title to rent free land in perpetuity, hereditary and transferable. Such grants made by former rulers of the country are usually recognised by the British Government.

AMAL DASTAK (Ar. *amal*, practice, P. *dastak*, permit). A deed of conveyance; any document giving possession of property.

AMALDAR, AMILDAR (Ar. *amal*, of office and P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). An officer, a manager, an agent. A collector of revenues.

AMALNAMA (Ar. *amal* business, and P. *namah*, a writing). A document giving authority to manage property or to take possession.

AMANI (Ar. *aman*, security, safety). A system of land revenue under which the Government share of the produce is taken in kind. The term is also applied to the direct management of a village by Government officers with the intervention of a *zamindar*.

AMARAM (Tam. lit. command of a thousand foot). A grant of revenue by native Government on condition of military or police service.

AMIL (Ar.). A high revenue officer under the Muhammadan Government.

AMIN (Ar.). Trustee; an officer employed in the revenue department to take charge of an estate and collect the revenues on account of Government. Also an arbitrator, a surveyor; a special officer to investigate a report on a subject or dispute.

AMLA, AMALA (Ar. plu. of *amil*). Clerks of a judicial or revenue court.

ANCHANA (Tel. from Skt *ansana*, dividing, apportioning). An estimate or appraisement of the probable amount and value of the crops on a field. **ANCHANADAR.** An Officer employed to survey the standing crops and estimate their probable value; an appraiser.

ARAZI (Ar. plu. of *arz*, lands, estates). Applied specially to detached portions of land which are either rent free or have been recovered from the retrocession of rivers.

ARZI, URZ (Ar. *arz*). A petition, an address, a memorial, a respectful statement or representation, whether oral or written.

ASAMI (Ar. pl. of *ism*, a name). This word now commonly means, a person, an individual; also sometimes a cultivator, a tenant, a debtor, a defendant in a suit. **ASAMIWAR.** Applied to a revenue settlement with individual cultivator.

ASURA MARRIAGE (Skt. *asura*, an evil spirit, a demon). A form of marriage formerly recognized by Hindu Law, that in which the bridegroom gives as much wealth as he can afford to the bride, her parents and relations.

ATAWANDLU (Tel. *ata*, play and *wandlu*, persons). Players in a pageant or a pantomime.

AUMEEN, *see* **AMIN.**

AUSAT (Ar.). Subordinate, dependant; average, intermediate; a term applied to a tenure of land or part of an estate held of a superior.

AWWAL (Ar.). First, the best. A term applied to land of the highest quality.

AYMAH, *see* **AIMA.**

AZMAISH CHITTHA (P. *azmaish*, trial, examination, H. *chittha*, an account). A schedule, giving estimate of the crop while standing, made by the subordinate revenue officer.

B

BABATI (P. *babat*, an item of account). Extra cess imposed in addition to ordinary revenue.

BACHH (H). The proportionate rate or division either of land or liabilities attached to them.

BADRUKH (P. *bad*, wind, *rukh*, side). Applied to lands facing wind.

BADSHAHI (P. *badshah*, king). Royal; held under a royal grant.

BADSHAHI-MINHAIDAR (P., *badshahi*, royal, Ar. *minha*, deduction). A holder of land exempted from revenue payment or subject to a diminished assessment under a royal grant.

BADSHAHI SANAD (P.). A royal grant; a document conveying lands or titles from the ruling power.

BA-FARZANDAN (P. *ba*, with, *farzandan*, children). A term inserted in a grant which is made to the grantee and his posterity.

BAGHAYAT LAND (P. *bagh*, garden). Artificially irrigated land ordinarily producing more profitable crops and assessed at a high rate.

BAINAMA (Ar. *bai*, sale, P. *namah*, document). A deed of sale.

BALUTA (Mar.). A village artisan, officer or servant receiving a share of the crop etc.

BALUTI (Mar.). Portion of the crop assigned to the *baluta* or village servants for their maintenance.

BAND (P.). Embankment.

BANDAR (P.). A port, a harbour.

BANDHU (Skt *bandh*, to bind). Relation. The term also implies relationship for recognition of rights of inheritance.

BAND-O-BAST (P. *bastan*, to bind, to tie). Agreement, settlement, bargain, adjustment, arrangement; settlement of revenue to be paid by *zamindar*, renter, or farmer to the Government or by the tenant to the *zamindar*.

BANGAR, BANGUR (H.). High ground, uplands.

BANIA, BANIAN, BANYA (skt *banik*). Trader, merchant, banker.

BANJAR OR BANJUR (H.). Waste or fallow land.

BAPOTI ZAMIN (H. *bapoti*, patrimony, P. *zamin*, land). Ancestral land.

BAQAYA TAUZIH (Ar. *baqi*, arrear, balance, *tauzih*, account of collection). A return showing arrears of revenue of previous years.

BARA DASTI PADKA (H. *bara*, twelve, P. *dast*, hand, H. *padka*, a measure of land). A measurement with twelve cubits as unit.

BARAD, BARDA, BARDI. (H.). Light, stony and sandy soil.

BARAR (H.). Tax in general; apportionment of revenue payments according to agreement with the village community.

BARIZ (Ar.). An account; total amount of revenue assessment.

BARQANDAZ (Ar. *barq*, lightning, P. *andaz*, one who casts). Matchlockman, but commonly applied to an Indian armed with a sword and a shield, who acts as door-keeper, guard, etc.

BARTANIO (Guj.). A village watchman, a police constable.

BATAI (H.). Division of the crop between the cultivator and the landlord, or the Government in that capacity.

BATTA (H. *bhatah*, allowance). An allowance to a public servant in addition to his regular pay, to meet some special cause of expense; a discount.

BATWARA (H. from Skt *wat*, to divide). The division of an estate among the co-owners so that each receives a separate portion, of which the revenue is separately assessed.

BAYNAMAH, *see* **BAINAMA.**

BEEGA, *see* **BIGHA.**

BEEGOTEE, *see* **BIGHATI.**

BEEGOWNEE, *see* **BIGHAWANI.**

BEGARI (P.). Forced labour without remuneration.

BELDAR (P. *bel*, spade, *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold.) One who works with a pick-axe or spade; a pioneer, a sapper, a miner.

BEWUSTEH, *see* **VYAVASTHA.**

BHAGDARI (Skt *bhaga*, a share, P. *dar*, holder from *dashtan*, to hold). A system of land tenure.

BHAIBAND (H. *bhai*, brother, and *band*, to tie). One closely associated with another either by blood or by friendship and community of interest.

BHAIYACHARA, BHAIYACHARI (H.). Lands, or villages, or certain rights held in common property, by a number of families forming a brotherhood. In all such fraternities the Government revenue is mostly paid through one of the number representing the whole.

BHARAI (H.). An allowance formerly made to Government revenue officers in Bareilly and Benares to cover the cost of remitting the collections to the Government treasury, and of exchanging the different sorts of rupees received in payment into standard currency.

BHAUNRIA (Uriya). An account of all the lands of a village, specifying the fields according to their numbers, the name of the cultivators.

BIAJ (H.). Interest on money or grain.

BIGHA (H.). A measure of land, varying in extent in different parts of India. **BIGHATI.** According to *bighas.*

BIGHAWANI (Mar.). Assessment of villages at a stipulated rate per *bigha.* Reduction into *bighas* of measurements by a different standard.

BILDAR, *see* **BELDAR.**

BIRTA (H. from Skt *vritti,* maintenance). A grant or endowment of maintenance. **BIRTADAR** One holding a *birta.*

BISWA (H. *bis,* twenty). A twentieth, but applied especially to the 20th part of a *bigha.* **BISWADAR** The holder of a share or shares in a coparcenary village.

BOLKHAT (Mar.). A debit and credit account, showing the amount received from cultivators and how it has been disposed of.

BOORKEE, *see* **BUDKI.**

BRAHMOTTARA (Skt *brahma* a Brahman, and *uttara,* what comes after or belongs to). Land granted rent-free to Brahmans for their support.

BUDKI (Mar.). A well sunk for irrigation at the edge of a river or watercourse.

BUKYA TOWJEE, *see* **BAQAYA-TAUZIH.**

BULLOTA, *see* **BALUTA.**

BURTUNIAH, *see* **BARTANIO.**

BUTAEE, *see* **BATAI.**

BYOPARI (Skt *vyapari*). Dealer, trader.

C

CHAHUR (Mar.). A measure of land, ordinarily equivalent to 120 square *bighas.*

CHAKARAN (P. *chakar,* servant). Land held rent free or at a reduced rent in remuneration of service, but especially that of village servants such as the *qanungo, patwari,* the peons, and *chaukidars.*

CHAKLA (H.). A large division of a country comprehending a number of *parganas.*

CHAR, CHUR (H.). A sand-bank or island in the current of a river deposited by water.

CHARAS (H.). A large leather bag or bucket used for drawing water from wells; also an intoxicant, the resinous exudation of the hemp plant.

CHARHTA (H.). Settlement of revenue at a progressively increasing rate.

CHAUDHRI (H.). Holder of landed property; head man of a village or of a community; also headman of a guild, profession or trade.

CHAUKIDAR (H.). Watchman.

CHAUTH (Skt *chaturtha,* fourth). An assessment equal to one-fourth of the actual government collections demanded by the Marathas from the Princes of Hindustan, as the price of forbearing to ravage their countries.

CHETRAM (Skt *Kashetram*). Land, a field; a sacred spot, a place of pilgrimage. In Malayalam, a temple.

CHITNAVIS (Skt *chitra,* note, letter; P. *navis,* writer, from *navishtan,* to write). Under the Maratha Government an Under Secretary of State who wrote and answered dispatches; any clerk or registrar.

CHOONAM, *see* **CHUNA.**

CHOUBIS DASTA PADKA. (H. *choubees*, twenty four, P. *dast*, hand, H. *padka*, a measure of land). A measurement of land with twenty-four cubits as unit.

CHOULTRY. In Madras, a resting place for travellers.

CHOWRAS, *see* **CHARAS.**

CHUCKLEH, *see* **CHAKLA.**

CHUKRUMS, *see* **CHAKARAN.**

CHUNA, CHUNAM (Tam.). Lime.

COOMBI, *see* **KUNBI.**

COTTA. (H. *kattha*). Measure of land containing 80 sq. yds.

CURNUM, *see* **KARNAM.**

CUTTOGBUDDY, OR CUTTOOBADY, *see* **KATTUBADI.**

D

DAFTARDAR (P. *daftar*, record, office, and *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). A record-keeper; but in the Bombay Presidency, a member of the collector's establishment, and the highest in rank of those actually serving in the collector's office, his function is to advise on revenue questions.

DAHYEK (P. *dah*, ten, *yek*, one). An allowance of ten per cent. which used to be assigned to the farmer or collector of the revenue as his profit.

DAKHIL, DAKHILA (Ar.). Entrance; taking possession; entry of an item in a deed or register; a receipt for money; annexation of lands, inclusion of a minor in major parcel of land.

DAMAN-I-KOH (P. *daman*, skirt, border, *koh*, mountain). A tract of land at the foot of a hill.

DAMRI (H.). A nominal coin of the value of $3\frac{1}{8}$ or $3\frac{1}{4}$ *dams* or from 8 to 12 *kauris*. In Delhi territory applied to sub-divisions of land, one *damri* being equal to 25 *kachcha bighas*.

DARAKDAR (Mar.). A hereditary public officer or functionary. The term was applied under Maratha Government, especially to eight offices.

DARGAH (P.). A royal court. In India it is more usually applied to a Muhammadan shrine or the tomb of some reputed holy person.

DARKHWAST (P.). Petition, request, application, appeal.

DAROGHA (P.). A manager, a superintendent, an overseer; particularly the head of a custom or excise station.

DAR-PATTANIDAR (P. *dar*, in, within, Beng. *pattani*, a tenure, lease, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). The holder of a lease from a lease holder; a sub lessee.

DARVESH (P.). A Muhammadan mendicant, a fakir.

DAST-BA-DAST (P. *dast*, hand, *ba*, with). From hand to hand; cash transaction.

DASTURI (Ar. *dastur*, custom). A customary fee, a commission.

DAUL, DOUL (H.). A statement of the particulars of the gross revenue levied from an estate or district.

DAYABHAGA (Skt *daya*, share, portion, inheritance, and *bhaga*, division). The partition of inheritance.

DEGREEDAR (Eng. decree and P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). One holding a decree of a court to recover and realise a loan. Also the person in whose favour judgment has been given.

DESAI (Mar. from Skt *deshadhipati*). Ruling chief of a country; the superintendent of a pargana; the principal revenue officer of a district, under the native Government. The office was hereditary and frequently recompensed by grants of land, so that the *Desai* often became a petty chief in south India.

DESMUKH, DESHMUKH (Mar. from Skt *desha*, region, place, district and *mukhya*, chief). A district revenue officer who is expected to superintend the cultivation and report on the state of crops, to assist in the settlement of the annual revenue, and to give general aid to the collector in the discharge of revenue duties.

DESPANDE, DESHPANDE (Mar. from Skt *desha*, country, *pande*, a title of Brahamans). A hereditary revenue accountant of a district, under Maratha government.

DEVASTHANA (Skt *deva*, a god and *sthana*, a place). A temple; revenue applied to the support of a temple.

DEVOTTARA (Skt *deva*, a god and *uttara*, belonging to). A religious endowment; land granted rent-free for the support of a temple.

DHANGARS (H.) A tribe of people inhabiting the hill country in Ramgarh and Chota-Nagpur: some of them come periodically into plains for employment and are engaged as labourers and scavengers; in Mar., shepherds.

DHARMADAYA (Skt *dharma*, religion, *dana*, charity). An endowment; grant of food for religious or charitable purposes.

DHARMADAYA (Skt) *dharma*, religeon, *da*, to give). Property set apart for *dharma*; a charitable allowance.

DHARMAKARTA (Skt *dharma*, religion, duty, law, *kartta*, maker, doer). A judge, magistrate; also the manager of a temple.

DHARMASHASTRA (Skt *dharma*, religion, *shastra*, scriptures). Hindu scriptures or religious texts.

DHARNA (H. from Skt *dhri*, to hold). The sitting at the door of a house in order to enforce the performance of an engagement on the part of the resident—as the payment of a debt or the like.

DHROON, *see* **DRONA.**

DHURMADEO, *see* **DHARMADAYA.**

DIH (P.) A village, with the lands belonging to it.

DIWANI (Ar. office of *diwan*). Under the Muhammadan Government the Diwan or the head financial minister was charged with the collection of revenues. The right to receive the collections of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa conferred on East Indian Company by Shah Alam in 1765.

DOLI (H,). A sort of a sedan in which women are carried.

DOMMARAWANDLU (Tel. *dommara*, drum and *wandlu*, persons). Rope-dancers, jugglers.

DRONA (Skt). A land measure equivalent to 6,335 acres. In Chittagong and Sylhet it is equal to 16 *kanis*.

DUMALA (Mar.). A term applied to a village or lands temporarily alienated.

DURGA, *see* **DARGAH.**

DURRUCKDAR, *see* **DARAKDAR.**

E

EATAWANDLU, *see* **ATAWANDLU.**

EIN JAMA, *see* **AIN JAMA.**

ELAM (Mal.). Auction, outcry, public sale.

EMAM, *see* **IMAM.**

EMAMBARÁH, *see* **IMAMBARA.**

ENAMDAR, *see* **INAMDAR.**

ENOYETNAMAH, *see* **INAYATNAMA.**

ETMAMDAR, *see* **IHTIMAMDAR.**

EZAPUT or **EZYAFAT**, *see* **IZAFAT.**

F

FASLI (Ar. from *fasl*, harvest). Belonging to the harvest. The harvest era introduced by Akbar. To convert it into the christian year, an addition of 590 years is made *i.e.*, 1239 *fasli* is equivalant to A.D. 1239 + 590 = 1829.

FATWA (Ar.) A judgment, usually written opinion of the Muhammadan law officer of a court.

FAUJDARI (P. office of a *faujdar*). Criminal as opposed to Diwani or Civil.

G

GADDI (H.). Royal cushion, throne, seat of some eminent personage.

GANDHARVA MARRIAGE (Skt). A form of marriage formerly recognised as legal, depending solely upon the mutual consent of parties of the *Kshatriya* or military order.

GANG-SHIKAST (Beng. *gang*, river, P. *shikastan*, to break). Encroachment of river.

GAON KHARCH (H. *gaon*, village, P. *kharch*, expenditure). Village charges.

GATKUL, GATKULI (Skt *gata*, gone, past, *kul*, family). Deserted and unclaimed lands, property, houses, etc.

GHAS-DANA (Mar *ghas*, grass and *dana*, grain). A military contribution in lieu of grass and grain for use of the cavalry.

GOOMASTAH, *see* **GUMASHTAH.**

GOSHWARA (P.). An abstract of an account; an aggregate amount.

GOTRI, (Skt *go*, cow, and *tra*, protection). An enclosure, family, lineage; especially applied to races of caste Hindus who profess to regard some celebrated saint as their progenitor or their primitive spiritual head.

GRAMADEVATA (Skt *grama*, village, *devata*, god). The tutelary diety of a village. Also lands appropriated to the expenses of village diety.

GRAMAKHARCH (Skt *grama*, village and P. *kharch*, expenses). Expenses of a village.

GRAMANATTAM (Tam.). Ground set apart in a village for building houses thereon.

GUMASHTAH (P.). Agent, steward, confidential factor; officer appointed by *zamindars* to collect rents, etc.

GUMNAMA (P. *gum*, lost, missing and *namah*, document, letter). A document drawn up and duly attested, certifying the loss of a title deed; a written declaration of loss of vouchers or documents.

GUNJAISH (P.). Capacity, profit; in fiscal language applied to the capabilities of a village with reference to a proposed increase of revenue

GUNTA or **GOONTA** (Tel.). A land measure, equal to 121 sq. yds. or the fortieth part of an acre.

H

HAJJAM (Ar.). A barber.

HAKIMEE HISSA, *see* **HISSA-HAKIMI.**

HALABADI (Ar. *hal*, present or actual state, P. *abad*, occupied). Recently brought under cultivation, having formerly been waste.

HAQ (Ar.). Right; perquisite or grant claimable under established usage by officers of Government or village officers. **HAQDAR.** Holder of a right or a claimant. **HAQDARI.** Percentage on Government revenue granted to village or district hereditary officers for service rendered by them.

HARI (Guj.). A particular crop succeeding the monsoon usually consisting of poorer kinds of grain.

HAST-O-BUD (P. *hast*, that is, *bud*, that was). A comparative account showing the past and present produce of an estate: a detailed statement of any land yielding revenue.

HAVELI (P.). A house, a mansion, a palace; also lands attached to a capital town or administered from headquarters.

HAWALA (Ar.). Charge, care, custody, consignment of any property; also a description of tenure in eastern Bengal.

HAWALAT (Ar. plu. of *hawala*). Commitment, charge, custody.

HIJRI (Ar. *hijrah*, departure). The name of the Muhammadan era which dates from Muhammad's departure from Mecca, which took place on the night of the 15th July 622 A. D. The Muhammadan year is lunar, and therefore about eleven days shorter than the christian year.

HISSA-HAKIMI (Ar. *hissah*, share, *hakim*, governor). The share of the produce of the land or revenue to which the king or the government is entitled.

HOODEH, *see* **HUDDA.**

HOOKAMEE, *see* **HUKKAMI.**

HOONDEH, *see* **HUNDH.**

HOONDEHBUNDEE, *see* **HUNDABANDI.**

HUCKDAREE, *see* **HAQDARI.**

HULDA (prob. from Ar. *hadd*, boundary, jurisdiction). An estate, one comprising a number of villages.

HUKKAMI (Ar. *hukkam*, rulers, officers). Grants of lands made by Government officers or *zamindars.*

HUKKAMI-MINHAIDAR (Ar. *minhai*, deductions). A holder of land, exempted from revenue payment or subject to a diminished assessment, under grants made by officers of Government or *zamindars.*

HUNDABANDI (Guj. from *hunda*, which appears to have the general meaning of a disposal for a fixed sum of the right of realizing some variable amount and *bandi*, settlement). A settlement by which the government revenue of a village is sold for a permanent fixed sum to one or more proprietors.

HUNDH (H.). Mutual assistance in tillage.

HUREE, *see* **HARI.**

HUSTABOOD, *see* **HAST-O-BUD.**

HUWALAT, *see* **HAWALAT.**

HUZURI (Ar. *huzur*, royal presence). Privilege of paying the revenues direct to government.

I

IHTIMAMDAR (Ar. *ihtimam*, supervision, P. *dar*, holder, f om *dashtan*. to hold). Holder of a trust; an under-collector of revenue who acts on commission from a *zamindar*.

IMAMBARA (Ar. *imam*, religious head, H. *barah*, a house). A building in which the festival of the *Muharram* is celebrated.

INAM (Ar.). Gift; grant of land held rent-free in hereditary and perpetual occupation. **INAMDAR** Holder of rent-free land.

INAYATNAMA (Ar. *inayat*, benevolence, P. *namah*, letter). A deed of gift, letter of recommendation, a written order or a patent from a superior.

INKARNAMA (Ar. *inkar*, refusal, P. *namah*, deed). A deed of refusal.

IQRARNAMA (Ar. *iqrar*, agreement and P. *namah*, document). A deed of assent or acknowledgment in general. It applies to engagement entered into two parties specifying the mode of payment of shares of revenue. It is attested by the *Patwari* and *Qanungos*, and finally confirmed by the settlement officer.

ISTAWA. (Mar. from Ar. *istiwa*, tending towards, ascending). Land tax or rent levied at progressively increasing rates until it reaches the maximum.

ISTAWA-QAUL (Ar. *qaul*, contract, lease). A lease or grant of waste lands at a rent progressively increasing for a term of years, when it becomes fixed. Literally a contract for lease and cultivation on the *istawa* principle of assessment.

ISTIFA (Ar.). Resignation, relinquishing a charge or possession, a deed of abandonment, such as is usually executed by *zamindars* on giving up their lands.

ISTIMRARDAR (Ar. *istimrar*, perpetuity, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). Holder of a farm or lease in perpetuity.

ISTIMRARI (Ar.) Permanent, perpetual; applied esp. to a permanent settlement of revenue.

ITLAQ NEMNUK (Ar. *itlaq*, fees paid by suitors, Mar. *nemnuk*, allowance, salary, stipend, pension). A fixed annual payment from a public treasury or store.

IZAFAT (Ar.). Increase, augmentation; any increase in the amount of revenue received from a country, whether from improved or additional cultivation, or from an enhanced rate of assessment; increase of revenue from any additional sources.

J

JAGIR (P. *ja* place, *gir*, taking, from *giriftan*, to take, lit. place-holding). Hereditary or personal assignment of land and of its rent with or without conditions of service. **JAGIRDAR** Holder of *jagir*.

JAMA (Ar.). Total amount of rent or revenue payable by a cultivator or a *zamindar*, including all cesses, as well as land tax.

JAMABANDI (Ar. *jama*, amount and P. *band*, a binding, from *bastan*, to bind). Amount of revenue assessed upon any tract on account of government; the annual revenue settlement.

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JAMA-KAMIL (Ar. *kamil*, complete). Final or standard assessment.

JAMA-KUL (Ar. *kul*, total). Total amount of revenue assessment.

JANGAL-BURI (H.). A tenure under which waste or forest lands were granted in absolute property to the reclaimer, free of rent or revenue for a specified period.

JAPTA, *see* **ZABITAH.**

JARI-AMAL (Mar.). Items of revenue which were once current, but are in the course of being alienated from the public revenue.

JAWAB-NAVIS (Ar. *jawab*, reply, P. *navis*, a writer, a clerk, from *navish'an*, to write). An officer of the court whose duty it is to read out reports, petitions, etc., and to draft the replies.

JINSWAR (Ar. *jins*, genus, kind and P. *war*, according to). Assessment of revenue at certain rates according to the produce or crops raised.

JIRAYAT (Mar. from Ar. *ziraat*, agriculture). Land that is cultivated without artificial irrigation as distinguished from *baghayat* or garden land.

JOT (H.). Cultivation, tenure; the holding of a *raiyat*. **JOTDAR.** A tenure holder.

JULUS (Ar.). Accession of a prince to the throne; regnal era.

JUMMABANDI, *see* **JAMABANDI.**

JUTHWAR (H.). Relating to joint property; assessed according to fraternities.

JUZ-O-KUL (Ar. *juz*, part, *kul*, whole). A revenue account containing a variety of details arranged under several heads.

K

KABULIYAT, *see* **QABULIYAT.**

KADIMI-RYOT, *see* **QADIMI-RAIYAT.**

KAIDA, *see* **QAIDAH.**

KAIFIYAT (Ar.). Report, account, statement.

KALI (Mar.). Arable land in general, from its being usually of a dark-colour; black soil or mould; cultivable land of a superior quality. Land in a Maratha village is ordinarily divided into two classes. *Kali*, black, and *pandhri*, white. The black soil is reserved for cultivation and the white for tenementary purposes. The term Kali-pandhri is therefore technically used for the entire village.

KAMAL (Ar.). Entire, perfect, complete; as a revenue term, total assessment before any reduction, allowance, or remission is made.

KAMAT, KAMATA (Tel.). Land which a *zamindar* or other proprietor has cultivated by his own labourers or by tenants.

KAMAVISDAR (Mar. from Skt *karma*, work, *visa*, to engage, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). Head revenue officer of a district entrusted also with police duties.

KANKARI (H. from Skt *kana*, a piece). Diminutive of *kankara*, a coarse kind of lime stone, gravel.

KANKUT (H.). The appraisement of standing crops.

KANNI (Mal.). A plot of land from eight to fourteen feet long and five to eight broad, set apart for evaporating or manufacturing salt: a salt bed or pan.

KANS (Guj). A canal for drainage or irrigation.

KANUN, *see* **QANUN**.

KANUNGO, *see* **QANUNGO**.

KARBARI (from P. *kar-o-bar*, *kar*, work, business, *bar*, weight, burden). A trader, a merchant. *Karbhari* in Marathi stands for an agent or principal officer.

KARDA (Mar.). The denomination or heading under which the names of actual cultivators or the fields are registered.

KARINDAH (P.). Agent, manager.

KARJI (Uriya). An officer employed by a *zamindar* in collecting rent, a village officer, a headman or manager collecting revenues from villagers.

KARKUN (P. *kar*, work, business, *kun* from *kardan*, to do). Manager, writer, clerk.

KARMA (Skt). Action; also funeral obsequies.

KARNAM (Tel.). A village accountant.

KARPARDAZ (P. *kar*, work, *pardaz*, who transacts, from *pardakhtan*, to transact). An agent, a representative, a manager.

KATKINADAR (H.). An under-tenant, farmer or renter.

KATTUBADI (Tel.). A subordinate village servant remunerated by rent free land.

KAUL, *see* **QAUL**.

KETWAR, *see* **KHETWAR**.

KHADAR (H.). Low or alluvial lands of easy irrigation.

KHAIRAT (Ar.). Charity, alms; lands given in charitable endowments.

KHALARI (Beng.). A place where salt is manufactured.

KHALASI (Ar.). A sailor; a tent-pitcher; an artillery man.

KHALISA (Ar. *khalis*, pure). Lands of which the revenue remains the property of government not being made over in *jagir* or *inam* to any other parties.

KHAM (P.). Raw, unripe; as a revenue term it means settlement made with the cultivators direct, without the intervention of a third person, the estate being managed by the officers of Government.

KHANABARI (P. *khana* and H. *bari*, both meaning house). A house with grounds and outhouses attached to it: a small patch of ground attached to a *raiyat's* hut to grow vegetables for his own use, for which he is exempted from rent.

KHANDI (Mar. from Skt *khand*, a part, or portion). A measure of weight and capacity with varying values in different places, ordinarily equivalent to twenty local maunds.

KHARCH (P.). Expense, disbursement; the authorised expenses incurred by a village.

KHARDA (Mar.). A rough note, a memorandum, a draft.

KHARIDA-MUAAFI (P. *kharida*, purchased, Ar. *muaafi*, exemption). Lands claiming exemption from revenue as having been bought under that condition.

KHARIF (Ar.). Season of autumn; the autumnal harvest; the crops which are sown before the commencement of the rains, or in April-May, and reaped after their close, October-November.

KHARITA (Ar.). A receptacle; a small silk bag in which letters for great men are enclosed.

KHAS (Ar.). Select; as a revenue term it is applied to the management of estates and the collection of revenue by the officers of government, without any intermediate person between them and the cultivators.

KHASBANDI (Mar.). Distribution of the lands of a village, without regard to contiguity, amongst certain families, and the assessment of each estate in the lump, without reference to measurement or rating.

KHAS-MAHALS (Ar.). Districts held in the management of the government.

KHASRA (H.). A field-book, esp. a written record of the particulars of a rough map or plan of a village in which the fields are numbered.

KHATA (H.). A register, a ledger; an account of real personal property.

KHATABANDI (H.). Assessment of each *raiyat's* holdings; a *raiyatwar* assessment.

KHATAUNI (from Mar. *khatiyan*, a ledger). An account book or the act of posting items from the day-book to the ledger.

KHELAT *see* **KHILAT.**

KHETWAR (H.). By fields; assessment made according to the quantity and quality of the produce of each individual field.

KHEWAT (Hindustani). Assigned quotas of revenue; a record of village sharers.

KHIDMATGAR (Ar. *khidmat*, service, P. *gar*, denotes agency or possession). A servant, a table servant, a personal attendant.

KHILAT (Ar.). Dress of honour; any article of costume presented by the superior authority to an inferior as a mark of distinction: a complete *khilat* may include arms, a horse, or an elephant.

KHIRAJ (Ar.). Tribute, tax, revenue.

KHOT (Mar.). A farmer of land revenue or customs; in some of the Maratha Provinces, a hereditary collector of government revenue.

KHUD-KASHT (P. *khud*, self, own, *kashtan*, to sow, as seed). Sowing or cultivating one's own ground.

KHUL (Origin unknown). A corporation of villages in Cachar which in the time of the native Rajas were jointly and severally liable for the payment of their land revenue.

KHUNDEY, *see* **KHANDI.**

KHUNDI (Mar.). A sort of *jawari*, grown as a second crop in garden land, to serve as a green crop for cattle.

KHUREEF, *see* **KHARIF.**

KHUSHBASH (P. *khush*, pleased, pleasant, *bash*, be or live, from *budan*, to be). One who lives pleasantly or at his ease; a cultivator paying small or no rent.

KHYRAT, *see* **KHAIRAT.**

KIRD (Mar.). An account or statement of receipts and disbursements; bringing lands into cultivation.

KIRKOL, KIRKOR (Mar.). Miscellaneous, petty, by retail.

KIRKOL-PATTI-BABTI (Mar.). Miscellaneous cesses or items of revenue in addition to the ordinary land revenue.

KISMAT, *see* **QISMAT.**

KISMWAR, *see* **QISMWAR.**

KIST or **KISHT**, *see* **QIST.**

KODRU (Mar. from Skt *kodrava*). A *kharif* crop chiefly eaten by the poor, the husk and grain being ground up together.

KOOMBA, *see* **KUMBHA.**

KOOR, *see* **KURA.**

KOOROOK, *see* **QURQ.**

KORA (Mal.). Bribe; tax, tribute.

KOTHI (H.). A granary, warehouse, mercantile or a banking house.

KUDEEMEE-RYOT, *see* **QADIMI-RAIYAT.**

KULASSE, *see* **KHALASI.**

KULKARNI (Mar.). The hereditary village account keeper.

KUMAL or **KUMAUL**, *see* **KAMAL.**

KUMBHA (Skt). A water-jar; a measure of grain equal to twenty *dronas*, or little more than three bushels and three gallons; in Gujarat it is a land measure 4,641 sq. yds.

KUNBI (Mar.). The name of the chief agricultural caste in central, western, and southern India, whence it sometimes means a husbandman, a peasant, or a cultivator in general.

KURA (Beng.). One *bigha*, a measure of land.

KURAN (Mar.). Grass-land.

KUSHAI (origin unknown). Lands taken with occupancy tenants' consent.

KUSIDA (Skt). lending money at interest, usury.

L

LAKHIRAJDAR (Ar. *la*, without, *khiraj*, tribute, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). Holder of rent free lands.

LAMBARDAR (from the Eng. word 'number' and Persian *dar*, who has, from *dashtan*, to hold). Cultivator who, either on his own account or as the representative of other members of the village, pays the Government dues and is registered in the Collector's roll according to his number.

LAVANI PATRAK (Mar.). Statement shewing the total assessment of a village, and by whom paid; it is also described as a general statement of the land held by each individual with the amount of assessment and every other item of revenue from the cultivator.

LAWAZIMA (Ar. *lazim*, necessary, indispensable). Perquisites or dues of office; necessary vouchers or documents.

LOTBANDI (from the English word lot, denoting a portion or division of property allotted for public sale, P. *bandi*, arrangement). The schedule or list exhibiting the apportionment of an estate to be put up in lots at auction for sale or lease. Also, notice of advertisement of the sale of an estate.

LUCHCHA (H). A libertine, a profligate, a low abandoned fellow.

M

MADAD-MAASH (Ar. *madad*, help, allowance, *maash*, means of living, livelihood). Land granted in perpetuity under the royal seal for subsistence.

MADRASA (Ar.). A college, an academy.

MAFFEE-CHITTEES, *see* **MUAAFI-CHITTHI.**

MAG (Skt *marga*). A track ; a channel for water to irrigate a garden or plantation.

MAHAL (Ar.). Division of a district, estate.

MAHALKARI (Ar. *mahal*, P. *kar*, doer, from *kardan*, to do). An officer in charge of a part of a taluq who exercises most of the powers of the *mamlatdar*.

MAHANTA (H.). The head of a religious establishment of the mendicant orders of the Hindus.

MAHAR (Skt *mritahara* one who removes the dead). An untouchable who performs the duties of a village watchman and a scavenger. As a *baluta* he enjoys the rights and perquisites of his office but is not permitted to live within the village wall.

MAHSUL (Ar.). Profit, tax, duty, excise, custom ; the produce or return realised from anything. **MAHSULDAR.** A collector or receiver of taxes ; an officer employed to prevent the clandestine removal of the produce.

MAHZARNAMA (Ar. *mahzar*, presence, P. *namah*, document). A written collective attestation ; a list or roll of persons present.

MAJMU (Ar. *jama*, collection). A total, an aggregate.

MAJUMDAR (from Ar. *Majmuah*, total and P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). A native revenue accountant either of a district or of a taluq, and remunerated either by *inam* land or by fees. In Gujrat the Majumdars were hereditary officers holding *watans* of very early date. Also the title of an auditor of accounts attached to a body of a horse under the Maratha Government. In some provinces the designation has become a hereditary appellation.

MALBA (H.). A collective term for the public expenses of a village community, such as the cost of entertaining visitors and of amusements ; remuneration of such village servants as are not paid by government ; fines imposed for plundered property when traced within the boundary of the village.

MALGUZAR (Ar. *mal*, revenue, P. *guzar*, one who submits, from *guzashtan*, to pay). A person who pays revenue assessed on an estate. **MALGUZARI.** Payment of revenue.

MALIK (Ar.). Proprietor ; a cultivator possessing hereditary rights. **MALIKANA.** Rights, dues or allowances of a *zamindar* or proprietory cultivator.

MALJAMIN (? Mar.). A variety of red or light brown soil spread thinly over rocks.

MAMLATDAR (Mar. from Ar. *muamalat*, business, P. *dar*, who holds, from *dashtan*, to hold). An officer appointed by the Government to the charge of a revenue district.

MAMUL (Ar.). Customary or usual practice.

MAPA (H.). Measurement of any kind, whether of weight, length or capacity.

MARATA (Karn.). Selling.

MARGASHIRSHA (Skt). The ninth month of the Hindu year (Nov.-Dec.), when the moon is in the asterism.

MASAHAT (Ar.). Measurement of land, survey.

MATHA (Skt). A building or set of buildings where Hindu religious mendicants reside under a superior or *mahant*, generally having rent-free lands on endowment, although supported in part by alms.

MAUZA (Ar.). A place, a village. **MAUZAWAR.** A term employed to designate a village settlement.

MAZKUR (Ar.). An inferior servant or peon attached to a village.

MEERDAH, *see* **MIRDAH.**

MEHAL, *see* **MAHAL.**

MEHTAR (Skt *mahattar*, a chief). Common designation for hereditary village officer as *patel* or *kulkarni*.

MEHTO (Guj.). A writer, a clerk, an accountant.

MILK (Ar.). Possession, property proprietory rights ; it is sometimes applied to the possession of rent-free lands.

MILKIAT (Ar. *milk*, possession, property.) Proprietory right, also real property, landed possessions ; it is sometimes applied to the possession of rent-free lands.

MILLICK, *see* **MILK.**

MINHAIDAR (Ar. *minha*, deduction, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). A holder of land exempted from revenue payment or subject to a diminished assessment.

MIRAS (Ar.). That which is inherited. **MIRASI.** Hereditary. **MIRASDAR.** Holder of hereditary lands or offices in villages, usually with inalienable rights.

MIR-BAHRI (Ar. *mir*, head , chief, *bahr*, sea). Port duties, fees on vessels entering or leaving port, also taxes on boat and ship-building.

MIRDAH (Ar. *mir*, chief, and P. *dah*, a village). The head man of a village ; the head peon, or messenger of a *zamindar* ; the inspector or superintendent of a village ; a native officer employed to preserve the village boundaries from encroachment.

MISL (Ar.). A collection of like or similar documents forming the body of public proceedings in judicial or revenue matters.

MOCASSAH, *see* **MUKHASA.**

MOCURRURREE-JAMA, *see* **MUQARRARI-JAMA.**

MOFEEDAR, *see* **MUAAFIDAR.**

MOGULLY, *see* **MUGHLAI.**

MOHTURFA, *see* **MUHTARAFA.**

MOKASSA, *see* **MUKHASA.**

MOKUDDUM, *see* **MUQADDAM.**

MOKURRUREE ISTIMRAREE SUNNUD, *see* **MUQARRARI ISTIMRARI SANAD.**

MOOKTEAR, *see* **MUKHTAR.**

MOOLKEE ADAHLUT, *see* **MULKI-ADALAT.**

MOOSTAGURREES, *see* **MUSTAJIRI.**

MOOTESAERIFF, *see* **MUTASAREIF.**

MOT. (Tel.). Large bucket of a draw well.

MOTASTHAL (Mar.). Land watered from a draw well.

MOTURPHA, *see* **MUHTARAFA.**

MOUTUWALLEE, *see* **MUTAWALLI.**

MUAAFI (Ar. *muaaf*, pardon). Remitted, free ; applied to lands exempted from the payment of revenue. **MUAAFIDAR.** Holder of rent-free land.

MUAAFI-CHITTHI (Ar. *muaaf*, pardon, H. *chitthi*, letter). An order to pass free of toll or tax, a warrant of remission ; it was formerly applied to certain classes of pilgrims, exempting them from payment of the pilgrim tax.

MUCHALKA (H.). A written obligation or agreement ; an engagement under a penalty to observe the conditions of any grant or deed or to desist from any illegal acts.

MUDUDMAUSH, *see* **MADAD-MAASH.**

MUGHLAI (from Mughal). Relating or belonging to the Mughals. Also fees paid to a Mughal or a Muhammadan officer.

MUHARRIR (Ar.). A clerk, a writer.

MUHTARAFA (Ar.). A tax on trades and professions or on artificers.

MUKHASA (Hindustani). A well known tenure in Northern circars. It is a tenure created by an assignment of a village or land to an individual, either rent-free, or at a low quit rent on condition of service. In Marathi *mukhasa* is a specified part (75%) of the *chauth*.

MUKHTAR (Ar.). An agent, a representative, an attorney. **MUKHTARNAMA.** A deed appointing a representative or agent, a power of attorney ; a deed executed by the co-sharers of a hereditary office, delegating its duties to a representative.

MULKI-ADALAT (Ar. *mulk*, country, *adalat*, court of law). A provincial court of justice.

MUQADDAM (Ar.). A chief, a leader ; an advanced guard ; headman of a village or of a caste or corporation.

MUQADDAMI Relating to the office, duties or rights of a *muqaddam* ; a *muqaddami* settlement is that made with the heads of villages as representatives of the village proprietors.

MUQARRARIDAR. (Ar. *muqarrar*, what is fixed, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). The occupant of a farm paying a fixed and permanent rate of rent.

MUQARRARI-ISTIMRARI-SANAD (Ar. *muqqarrar*, fixed, *istimrar*, perpetual, *sanad*, charter). A fixed and perpetual charter of revenue settlement.

MUQARRARI-JAMA (Ar.). A fixed and permanent rate of assessment.

MURATTA, *see* **MARATA.**

MURID (Ar.). A disciple, a scholar.

MUSAHUT, *see* **MASAHAT.**

MUSHTARI. (Ar.). A purchaser, a buyer of land sold for arrears of revenue.

MUSKOORE, *see* **MAZKUR.**

MUSSAHAUT, *see* **MASAHAT.**

MUSTAJIRI (Ar.). Renting, farming, holding in farm, settlement in farm.

MUTAALLIQ (Ar.). A dependant, a servant.

MUTASADDI (Ar.). Clerk, a writer.

MUTASARRIF (Ar. *sarf*, to spend to consume). One who enjoys possession, or the person appropriating or consuming the produce.

MUTAWALLI (Ar.). A person appointed to the care and management of a religious building and endowments.

MUZMOODAR, *see* **MAJUMDAR.**

N

NABALIGHI (P. *na*, negative, Ar. *baligh*, matured). One who has not reached the age of maturity : minority.

NACHNI (Mar.). A particular variety of grain cultivated in South India.

NAIB SARISHTADAR (Ar. *naib*, deputy, P. *sarishta*, office of registry, *dar*, one who holds, from *dashtan*, to hold). Deputy head ministerial officer of a court.

NALA (H.). A water course, a channel, a drain or an aqueduct.

NAMZAD (P. *nam*, name, *zad*, struck, assigned, from *zadan*, to strike). Nominated for some post or office; a village officer.

NANAKSHAHI (Punjabi, from Nanak Shah, the name of the founder of the Sikhs). A follower of Nanak Shah, a Sikh. The Sikh currency also was known by this name, as the rulers subsequent to Baba Nanak struck coins in his name and not in their own.

NANJAI, NANJEY (Tam. *nal*, good, *sey*, cultivation). Soil fit for cultivation of rice and admitting of irrigation.

NANKAR (P. *nan*, bread, *kar*, business). A term applied to an assignment of a portion of the land or revenue of an estate, made to the occupant or *zamindar* as an allowance for his subsistence, usually amounting to about five, or sometimes ten per cent. on the assessment payable to the state.

NAQD-BAB (Ar. *naqd*, cash and *bab*, cess or tax). Cash realization of a tax.

NASLAN-BADA-NASLIN (Ar. generation after generation). An estate of inheritance.

NATHI (H.). Aggregate of papers and proceedings relating to law suit; a file or bundle of official papers tied together.

NAZR ANDAZ (Ar. *nazar*, sight, and P. *andaz* from *andakhtan* to cast, to throw). An estimate of the value of the crop made by inspecting it.

NAZR (Ar.). Ceremonial present or gift, generally from an inferior to a superior.

NAZR-I-DARGAH (Ar. *nazr*, gift, P. *dargah*, a shrine). An assignment of revenue under the Muhammadan Government to a sacred shrine or any religious establishment.

NEEJ, *see* **NIJ**.

NEMNUK (Mar.). Salary, stipend, allowance, pension or fixed payment in money or kind from a specified source granted for past or present services.

NEWADAH, *see* **NIVADA**.

NIJ (Skt *ni*, in, *jan*, to be born). Own; sometimes used in the sense of *Nij-jot*; land allowed to be set apart for the private maintenance of a *zamindar*.

NIKAS (Skt *nishkasa*, issuing forth). The skirts or suburbs of a town, or the outer boundary of the land belonging to it; adjustment of account public or private; discharge of debt; revenue settlement. **NIKASI.** Account of the revenue assessed upon an estate; transit duties.

NIRKH-NAVIS (P. *nirkh*, price, rate, *navis*, writer, from *navishtan*, to write). Writer of current prices of goods.

NIVADA (Mar.). Settlement, adjustment, decision, especially on a disputed point.

NULLA, *see* **NALA**.

NUMBERWAR-KHARDA (Mar. *numberwar*, a hybrid term meaning regularly and *kharda*, a diary). A record kept by the village accountant in the Deccan of the fields of the villages he is attached to, their quality, cultivation, and other particulars of the state of the village, according to a regular system of numbering.

NURKNAVEES, *see* **NIRKH-NAVIS**.

NUSLUND BAD NUSLUND, *see* **NASLAN-BADA-NASLIN**.

NUZZER, *see* **NAZR**.

O

ONEDWAR, *see* **UMEDWAR**.

OOKTEE, *see* **UKTI**.

P

PADHAN (Skt *pradhana*, from *pra*, before, *dha*, to place). A principal person, either in state or in a village; a minister, a prime minister; a principal cultivator; a headman.

PADRUKH, probably Badrukh, q.v.

PAGAI. An advance made by government or the collector to cultivators at the sowing season, to be repaid at the harvest: it is no doubt a blunder for *tagai* or *taqavi*.

PAHI-KASHT (H. *pahi*, a cultivator, P. *kasht*, cultivation). Non-resident cultivators.

PAIK (P.). Courier, footman.

PAIKA (Mar.) Money.

PAISHACHA MARRIAGE (Skt). When a man by stealth seduces a girl who is sleeping, intoxicated, or disordered in intellect, that is the eighth, the most base and sinful, form of marriage enumerated by Manu.

PAISHCUSSEE, *see* **PESHKASHI**.

PAL (H.). A dike, a dam, especially the raised earth bordering the beds in which rice is planted so as to confine the water of irrigation; also a small tent.

PALEGAR, PALEGARA (Mar.). A petty chieftain, in South India, one occupying a hill or a forest area subject to payment of tribute and service to the paramount state.

PALWAR (H.). A boat of burden of 15 to 20 tons, employed for carrying goods.

PAMPAWAR (Mal.). Land revenue by agreement; a limited land tax.

PAND (Mar.). A land measure equal to twenty square *kathis* or rods, or the twentieth of a *biǵha*.

PANDHARAPESHA (Mar. *pandhara*, the entire village community, P. *pesha*, calling, profession). A term for classes considered superior to cultivators.

PAN-SUPARI (H. *pan*, betel leaf, *supari*, areca nut). Betel leaf and nut presented to guests. It is also used as euphemism for small bribe.

PARIA (Uriya). Land out of cultivation, waste or fallow land.

PARVANA-SHRADDHA (Skt *parvan*, a ceremony, *shraddha*, sacrifices to the dead). Periodical offering to the dead by near relatives.

PARWANA (P.). Order, grant of letter under royal seal, licence, pass.

PATASTHAL (Mar.). Cultivated ground irrigated by small channels turned off from brooks or rivulets.

PATEL (Mar.). Headman of a village having general control of village affairs and forming the medium of communication with the officers of Government. **PATELKI**. Office of a *patel*.

PATTA (H.). A deed of lease; a document given by the collector to the *zamindar* or by some other receiver of revenue, to the cultivator or under tenant, specifying the condition on which the lands are held. The certificate given by the Revenue Dept. to the proprietor or *riayat* in South India. **PATTADARI**. A tenure held in lease.

PATTANI (Beng.). A tenure by which the occupant holds of a *zamindar* a portion of the *zamindari* in perpetuity, with the right of hereditary succession, and of letting or selling the whole or part as long as a stipulated amount of rent is paid to the *zamindar*, who retains the power of sale for arrears, and is entitled to a regulated fee or fine upon transfer.

PATTI (Mar.). Any occasional or extra tax or cess; in (H.) a division of a village, **PATTIDAR** (H.). The holder of a share in a coparcenary village or estate. **PATTIWAR** (H.). According to shares, assessment, etc.

PATWARI (H.). Village accountant whose duty it is to keep all kinds of land accounts and submit the same to government revenue officers.

PAUTI (? Beng.). A measure of grain.

PESHKAR (P. *pesh*, before, *kar*, one who works, from *kardan*, to do). In Bengal an Indian officer in a court of law who puts up cases to the judges.

PESH-KASH (P. first-fruits). Offering or tribute paid to a great man or to government. **PASH-KASHI**. Land held under a tribute or quit rent.

PETH NAKHKHAS (Mar. *peth*, a market and *nakhkhas*, a tax on the sale of cattle). A tax levied on the sale of cattle in a fair or market.

PETTAH (Tel.). A suburb; a village near a town.

PIADA (P.). A footman, an armed servant, police or militia man.

PIKE, *see* **PAIK**.

PINDA (Skt). A lump, a heap; a ball of rice, esp. that which is offered at obsequial ceremonies or *shraddhas* to deceased parents and progenitors.

PINDADHIKARI (Skt *pinda*, rice ball, *adhikari*, who has a right or title). The legal presenter of a funeral cake, usually the nearest relative in the male line.

PITRI-SHRADDHA (Skt *pitri*, father, *shraddha*, sacrifices to the dead). Periodical offering to the dead parents.

POLIGAR, *see* **PALEGAR**.

POT (H.). Assessment on cultivated fields.

POTASHTHAL, *see* **PATASTHAL**.

POTDARI (Mar.). The business of a weigher or assayer of coins, money changing, banking.

POTI, POWTEE, *see* **PAUTI**.

POTNIS (Mar.). An officer of the treasury, the cash-keeper or accountant.

POTPADIT (Mar.). A portion of cultivable land left unsown amidst land under cultivation.

POTTA, *see* **PATTA.**

PRADHAN (Skt). Chief, principal; a chief or eminent person, a minister, a prime-minister: the common title of the eight chief civil and military officers of the Maratha state, as established by Shivaji.

PRANT (Skt). A province, boundary.

PRATBANDHI (Mar.). Classification, arranging by classes or lots.

PRETAPINDA (Skt *preta*, dead, *pinda*, rice ball). Pinda or rice balls to be offered to a relative on his demise.

PUGGEE, *see* **PAGAI.**

PUJARI (H.). A priest in a temple, one who conducts public worship and receives the offering either on his own account or that of the proprietors of the temple.

PUNIA (H.). Day on which rent or revenue for ensuing year is first settled, or on which first instalment is paid.

PUNJA (Tam.). Dry land not admitting irrigation and therefore unfit for growth of rice.

PUREEAH, *see* **PARIA.**

PURVA (Skt). Obsequy which extends from the period of kindling funeral pyre to the 12th day.

PURVA KRIYA (Skt *purva*, first, *kriya*, rite). Initial rites performed for the dead.

PUSHTA (P.). An embankment, a wall or building of masonry on the bank of a river.

PYKASHT, *see* **PAHI-KASHT.**

Q

QABULIYAT (from Ar. *qabul*, consent). A written agreement, esp. one signifying assent, as the counter-part of a revenue lease, or the document in which a payer of revenue, whether to the government, the *zamindar*, or the farmer, expresses his consent to pay the amount assessed upon his lands.

QADIMI-RAIYAT (Ar. *qadim*, old and *raiyat*, tenant or subject). An occupant of land by old hereditary descent.

QAIDA (Ar.). A rule, a regulation, a law.

QALAMBANDI (Ar. *qalam*, pen, P. *bandi*, binding, from *bastan*, to bind). An agreement, insertion, entry.

QANUN (Ar.). A rule, a regulation, a law, a statute.

QANUNGO (Ar. *qanun*, rule, P. *guftan*, to speak). An expounder of the laws, but applied in India esp. to village and district revenue officers, who, under the former governments recorded all circumstances within their sphere which concerned landed property and the realization of the revenue: they were paid by rent-free lands and various allowances and perquisites.

QASBAH (Ar.). A small town or large village, the chief or market-town of a district.

QAUL (Ar.). An agreement, contract, frequently used in connection with lease granted on favourable terms, as in the case of cultivation of waste lands, for which a remission of rent is granted for a given period.

QISMAT (Ar.). Fate, fortune ; share, distribution ; in revenue matters, a portion of land detached from a larger division, as from a *mauza*.

QISMWAR (Ar. *qism*, kind, P. *war*, according to). According to classification of soil, etc.

QIST (Ar.). Instalment ; portion of annual assessment to be paid at specified period in the course of the year. **QISTBANDI**. Fixed periodical payments of revenue.

QUADER, *see* **KHADAR**.

QURA, *see* Kura.

QURQ (Ar.). Sequestration, confiscation, seizure of goods, attachment for debt or for arrears of public revenues.

R

RAB (Mar.). Ground prepared by burning of leaves, grass, sticks, etc., for sowing, also crop raised on ground so prepared.

RABI (Ar.). Spring season ; the spring harvest or crop sown after the rains.

RAIYATWAR (Ar. *raiyat*, a subject and P. *war*, according to). A system of land revenue in which the Government settlement is made directly with the *raiya*. **RAIYATWARI**. Settlement of land revenue with individual cultivator.

RAKSHASA MARRIAGE (Skt *rakshasa*, a demon). The forcible abduction of a maiden from her home, while she cries out and weeps, after her kinsmen have been slain or wounded and their houses broken open, is called the rakshasa marriage.

RAMNAH (H.). A park, a large grassy plain.

RAMOSI (Mar.). The name given to individuals, of a low and semi-barbarous race, found chiefly in the Maratha country, who are thieves by profession and habit, but are retained usually in villages as watchmen.

RAQBA (Ar.). Enclosure, area ; the lands comprised within the boundaries of a village or town. **RAQBA-BANDI**. Statement of the area of any estate or village, showing the total quantity of land.

RASADI-JAMA (P. *rasad*, supply of provision, etc., Ar. *jama*, total). Progressively increasing or diminishing total of assessment.

RAVANIO (Guj.). A village watchman or guard.

RAWANA (P.). A passport, a pass, a certificate from a collector of customs authorising goods to pass without payment of further duty.

RAZINAMA (Ar. *raza*, consent and P. *namah*, deed). A deed of agreement.

RIKTHA (Skt.). Property, wealth, inheritance.

RISALADAR (P. *risala*, a troop of horse, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). A native officer commanding a troop of horse.

ROBOOKARRE, *see* **RUBAKARI**.

ROWANNAH, *see* **RAWANA.**

ROZINAH (P. *roz*, a day). A daily allowance, a pension.

RUBAKARI (P. *ru*, face, *ba*, with, *kar*, business). A document narrating the proceedings of a court; the record of a case.

RUBBEE, *see* **RABI.**

RUMNA, *see* **RAMNAH.**

RUQQA (Ar.). A letter, a note, a bill; a note or acknowledgment of money borrowed at interest.

RYOTWAR, *see* **RAIYATWAR.**

S

SABHASAD (Skt *sabha*, assembly, *sad*, to sit). One who is present at an assembly; an assessor in a court of justice; a public officer whose duty it was to keep a register of petty suits and report them to *mamlatdar*.

SADR-AMIN (Ar. *sadr*, chief and *amin*, judge). A chief commissioner or arbitrator; the title of a class of native civil judges under the British Government.

SAGOTRA-SAPINDA (Skt *sa*, with, *gotra*, lineage, and *sapinda*, q. v.). A kinsman who is entitled to offer the *pinda* at a *shradh* to a deceased person.

SAHOTRA (Mar. *saha*, six, *uttar*, above). 6 per cent.; a fee or perquisite of six in a hundred given to a public officer. Generally 6 per cent. of the *chauth*.

SAHUKAR (H). A banker, a money-lender.

SALAMI (Ar. *salam*, compliments, peace). A salute of cannon; a present on being introduced to a senior; a free gift from a farmer to government on taking lands.

SAMANODAKA (Skt *saman*, equal, common, and *udaka*, water). Lineal male ancestors or descendants of any man to any degree. They are so called as being the persons entitled to offer water at a *shraddha* to a deceased person.

SAMATDAR (Tel. *samat*, a division of a district, and *dar*, holder from *dashtan*, to hold. A revenue officer employed by the Government, or by a *zamindar* to superintend the tillage of a district and to settle disputes among the cultivators.

SAMPRATI (Tam.). A revenue accountant; an inspector or supervisor of a small tract of country.

SANAD (Ar.). Deed of grant by Government of office, privilege or right.

SANAD-I-MILKIAT-I-ISTIMRAR (Ar. *sanad*, a deed of grant, *milkiat*, ownership, *is imrar*, perpetuity). The deed or document by which the British Government recognised the absolute ownership of the *zamindars* at a fixed assessment.

SANGA (H.). A kind of bridge used in the Himalayas.

SAMKU (Skt). The pin of a dial; also the cross used in land-surveying.

SANTAN-DAR-SANTAN PARYANT (Skt *santan*, offspring). Generation after generation in perpetuity.

SANWAT (Ar. pl. of *sanat*, years). Rupee which has been current more than one year; old coin current at a depreciated rate after a certain number of years.

SAPINDA (Skt *sa*, together, and *pinda*, the sacrificial ball). An ancestor or descendant in the male line,

and of the first, second, or third generation. These kinsmen are so called because they, and they only, are entitled to offer the *pinda* at a *shraddha* to a deceased person.

SARANJAM (P.). Apparatus ; provisions ; amongst the Marathas it was applied to a temporary assignment of revenue from villages or lands for the support of troops or for personal military service.

SARBARAHKAR (P.). A steward, a factor, a trustee ; the manager of an estate for minors appointed by Court of Wards.

SARDESHMUKHI (Mar. from P. *sar*, head and *deshmukh*, q. v.). The office of *sardeshmukh*. Also the levy ten per cent. beyond the *chauth*.

SARISHTADAR (P. *sarishta*, office of registry, *dar*, one who holds, from *dashtan*, to hold.) The head ministerial officer of a court or collector's office.

SARKAR (P. *sar*, head, *kar*, business). The Government or the supreme administrative body of a country. **SARKARI.** Belonging to Government.

SAR-O-PA-INAM (P. *sar*, head, *pa*, foot, *inam*, gift). A complete dress of honour.

SARRAF (Ar.). A money-changer, a banker ; an officer employed to ascertain the value of different currencies.

SASTI (Skt *swasti*, well-being, commonly meaning cheap). A tenure by which land is held of a proprietor by a tenant paying the full government assessment.

SAWANIH-NIGAR (Ar. *sawanih*, events and P. *nigar*, who writes). A news writer, an intelligence, or a chronicler of events. Holders of this office originally had charge of the dak of the native government.

SAYER (Ar.). Remaining ; miscellaneous sources of revenue, such as customs, tolls, fees, taxes.

SAZAWAL (P.). A native collector of revenue ; an officer specially appointed to take charge of and collect revenue of an estate, from the management of which the owner or farmer has been removed.

SEH-PATTANIDAR (P. *sch*, three, Beng. *pattani*, q. v., P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold.) Holder of third under tenure.

SERBERAHKAR, *see* **SARBARAHKAR.**

SHAGIRD (P.). A disciple, a scholar, an apprentice.

SHAHI DROON (P. *shahi*, royal, Skt *drona*, a measure). A land measurement fixed by Government at $\frac{1}{16}$ of a *khari* which is about three bushels.

SHAHNA (Ar.). A village watchman, a person employed to watch the crops and prevent any fraudulent abstraction of the grain.

SHASH-BAB-I-KAIFIYAT (P. *shash*, six, Ar. *bab*, section, *kaifiyat*, account, statement). A revenue account arranged under six heads.

SHERISTADAR, *see* **SARISHTADAR.**

SHETSANADI (Mar. *set*, a field and *sanad*, q. v.). A person holding land for military service applied esp. to a local militia acting also as police and as garrisons of forts.

SHIKAMI TALUQDAR (P. *shikam*, belly, primarily it means inclusive, and *taluqdar*, q. v.). Holder of estate comprised with a *zamindari* and paying the revenue through the *zamindar* or ot herrevenue contractor.

SHIKDAR (Ar. *shiq*, tract of country forming a collectorate, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold.) An officer appointed to collect the revenue of an estate or tract of country.

SHIST, *see* **SISTU**.

SHOOD, *see* **SHUDDHA**.

SHOTIEM, *see* **CHETTRAM**.

SHRADDHA (Skt). An obsequial ceremony in which food and water are offered to deceased ancestors.

SHUDDHA (Skt). Pure, clean, bright ; the bright half of the lunar month.

SIBANDI (P.). Irregular soldiery, a sort of militia or imperfectly disciplined troops maintained for the garrisons of forts and guards in town and villages, and for the collection of revenue.

SIKKA (Ar.). A stamped coin, especially the designation of the silver currency of the kings of Delhi, adopted by other Indian princes, and eventually by the East India Company.

SINDA (Ar.). The name of a tribe in the Konkan, said to be sprung from female slaves ; they are cultivators.

SIPEEND, *see* **SAPINDA**.

SIRDESHMUKHI, *see* **SARDESHMUKHI**.

SIRPAO-INAM, *see* **SAR-O-PA-INAM**.

SISTU (Karn.). Land tax, revenue assessed in money.

SIWAI JAMA (Ar. *sava*, besides, over and above, *jama*, collection). Miscellaneous collections ; the term also denotes revenue derived from all taxes except those raised from land, and exclusive of customs and transit duties, comprising a vast number of petty and vexatious imposts.

SOCREE or **SOOKREE**, *see* **SUKHADI**.

SONAT, *see* **SANWAT**.

SOSTEE, *see* **SASTI**.

SOWCAR, *see* **SAHUKAR**.

SROTRIYAM TENURE (Skt). A grant of land on easy payment of rent as a reward for public service.

SUBAHDAR (Ar. *subah*, province, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold.) The governor of a province, a viceroy under the Mughal Government.

SUBHASUD, *see* **SABHASAD**.

SUKHADI (Guj. *sukhadi*, bonus, reward, or a bribe). A fee or allowance paid by Government to *desai* in return for his services.

SUMMODACA, *see* **SAMANODAKA**.

SURBURAKAR, *see* **SARBARAHKAR**.

SUTAKA (Skt). Uncleanliness or impurity contracted by the members of a family on the birth of a child.

SUWANEGARY, *see* **SAWANIHNIGAR**.

SUZAWUL, *see* **SAZAWAL**.

SWASTHYAM, (Tam. from Skt *su*, well, *stha*, who stays or is). Wealth, property ; hereditary land and privileges possessed by Brahmans ; it also means health.

SYANA (H.). Sagacious ; in Kumaun, the designation of hereditary superintendents of several villages.

T

TAAHUD (Ar). Promise, agreement, a revenue lease; an engagement with the Government or its representative for the payment of the public revenue, which may be made separately, even by the coparceners in a joint estate, each becoming responsible for his own proportion.

TAFSIL (Ar.). Details, particulars of an account, statistics.

TAHSILDAR (Ar. *tahsil*, collection, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). Indian collector of revenue.

TAHVILDAR (Ar. *tahvil*, charge, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). A cashier, a treasurer.

TAKID PATRA (Ar. *takid*, injunction, an order, Skt *patra*, letter). A letter of injunction, a written mandate or direction.

TALABANA (Ar. *talab*, request, demand, pay). A daily pay or fees to a subordinate officer of the court charged with serving process, issuing summons or writs, payable by the parties on whom they are served.

TALATI (Mar.). An officer whose duty it is to collect the sums due by cultivators to government.

TALUQDAR (Ar. *taalluq*, an estate smaller than a *zamindari*, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). Holder of a *taluq*.

TAMBRI (Mar.). Copper-coloured, a sort of soil of a reddish or coppery hue not in general very productive.

TAMRAPATRA (Skt). Copper plate especially one on which grants to temples or individuals are inscribed.

TANDEL (Mar.). The head or commander of a body of men, or a petty native officer employed in buildings and public works.

TANKHWAH (P.). Draft for money, bill of exhange; an assignment upon the revenue of a locality in payment of pay, pension etc.

TAPPA (H.). A small tract or division of country.

TAQAVI (Ar. *quvvat*, strength). Loans made to agriculturists for seed, bullocks, or agricultural improvements.

TARAF (Ar. *taraf*, side, part). A tract of country; in some places it merely designates the lands or estate belonging to an individual which is named after him: in Mar. it signifies also a portion of village lands. **TARAFDAR.** An officer of Government in charge of a *taraf* collecting revenue and exercising chief revenue and police authority in his district. The holder of a portion of village lands.

TARIKHWAR (Ar. *tarikh*, date and P. *war*, according to). According to date.

TARIZ (Ar.). Statement of particulars of landed property deposited in the collector's office.

TAUFIR-ZAMIN (Ar. *taufir*, increase, and P. *zamin*, lands). Lands in addition to, or excess of an original grant, or measurement.

TAULIYATNAMA (Ar. *tauliyat*, trusteeship, P. *namah*, deed). Deed of trusteeship; letter or order appointing a person to the management of a religious endowment.

TAUZIH (Ar.). A revenue account showing, under the name of each payer of revenue, the total amount as it falls due by monthly instalments, the portion actually paid and the balance outstanding: it is usually a village account and is kept by the village accountant: also a register of the estates of a collectorate kept in the collector's office.

TEEKA THEEKA, *see* **THIKA.**

TEERVAH, *see* **TIRVA.**

THAKUR (H.). A term applied to persons of rank and authority in different parts of India; any individual entitled to revenue.

THALWAR (Skt *sthal*, spot, land, P. *war*, according to). According to the estimate of the crop at harvest.

THANADAR (H. *thana*, police station, *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). The chief of a police station.

THANI RAIYAT (H. *thani*, resident, Ar. *raiyat*, tenant). A resident cultivator, one who has a proprietory interest in the soil.

THAVELDAR, *see* **TAHVILDAR.**

THIKA (H.). Hire, contract; a hereditary tenure under a *zamindar*. It is also a tenure terminable at will by either the occupant or the land holder. **THIKADAR.** A contractor, a farmer of the revenue; middle-man who receives rents from cultivators and pays a stipulated amount to the proprietor.

THOK (H.). A share, a portion; a secondary or inferior share of the lands of a coparcenary village.

THOK-BANDI. A written engagement specifying the distribution of the shares of the coparacenary village. **THOKDAR.** Shareholder.

TIRVA (Origin unknown). Rent paid in money.

TOWLEAT NAMAH, *see* **TAULIYAT-NAMA.**

TUBSIL, *see* **TAFSIL.**

TUCCAVEE, *see* **TAQAVI.**

TULLATEE, *see* **TALATI.**

TULUBANA, *see* **TALABANA.**

TUPPEH, *see* **TAPPA.**

TURJ, *see* **TARIZ.**

TURRUF, *see* **TARAF.**

TUSAR (Mar.). Crops that ripen after the rains are over, or in cold season.

U

UKTI (Mar. *ukta*, in the gross, in the lump). The sum total of the assessment imposed upon a village, and at which it is leased for a given term of years, with the assent of cultivators.

ULTAMGAH, *see* **ALTAMGHA.**

UMALNAMEH, *see* **AMALNAMA.**

UMIDWAR (P. from Ar. *umid*, hope). An expectant, a candidate for employment, one who awaits a favourable answer to some representation or request.

UMUL DASTAK, *see* **AMAL DASTAK.**

UPARI (Mar.). A cultivator not belonging originally to a village, but residing and occupying land in it, either upon a lease for a stipulated term of years, or at the pleasure of the proprietor.

V

VAKALATNAMA (Ar. *vakalat*, agency, P. *namah*, document). Power of attorney; letter of authority.

VANTA (Mar.). A share, a part; a land held rent free although much of it is offered to Government.

VARI (Tel.). Rice.

VARSHASAN (Mar. from Skt *varsha*, year and *asana*, food). An annual allowance or stipend.

VASELA (Guj.). Fallow land left for a year uncultivated.

VERO (Guj.). Tax, impost, duty; a particular tax levied upon the land, or upon ploughs, in addition to the standard assessment.

VETA (Mar.). Excess of rate of assessment upon one portion of an estate in consideration of another being under-assessed.

VETAN (Skt *vetana*, wages, hire). In Marathi it especially applies to the stipends of public officers.

VETH (Mar. & Guj.). Labour, service exacted by government, or a person in power, without paying for it; work without allowances. In Mar. *veth-begar* is ordinarily used as a compound word for forced labour.

VIHIR HUNDA (Mar. *vihir*, a well). Extra tax on land watered from wells.

VISABADI (Tel.). Land revenue levied in settled proportions on individual shareholders of a village.

VYAVAHARA (Skt *vi-ava-hara*, from *hri*, to carry). Usage, custom; also judicial procedure.

VYAVASTHA (Skt). A written opinion on points of law, with citation of the original texts on which it is based.

W

WAHIWAT (Mar.). Administration, management.

WALAD (Ar.). A son.

WAQF (Ar.). A bequest for religious or charitable purposes, an endowment.

WARKAS (Mar.). Common denomination for inferior grains, for all except rice and the kinds of pulse. It is also applied to dry cultivation and to the lands on which it is carried on.

WARSHASUN, *see* **VARSHASAN.**

WASIL BAQI (Ar.). Account shewing the amount of revenue realised and the remainder outstanding.

WASUL (Ar.). Collections, revenue, rent, etc.; money annually realized by government, proprietors, or bankers.

WATAN (Ar.). Native place, home; in Mar. any hereditary estate, office, privilege or property.

WATANDAR (Ar. *watan*, native place, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). Amongst the Marathas the term stood for the holder of a hereditary right, property, or office, with the privileges and emoluments attached to it.

WUREE, *see* **VARI.**

Y

YAD (P.). Remembrance; in Mar. a memorandum, a note addressed to an equal on official subjects.

YAUMIA (Ar. *yaum*, a day). Daily allowance of an kind.

Z

ZABITAH (Ar.). A rule, a statute, a law established by practice or usage.

ZABTI (Ar. *zabt*, seizure). Sequestrated, attached ; applied to rent-free lands resumed, or on which assessment has been imposed.

ZABTI-TAHSILDAR. A revenue officer deputed to sequestrate, attach or take possession of an estate.

ZAMINDAR (P. *zamin*, land, *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). A land holder. **ZAMINDARI.** Office of *zamindar*. **ZAMINDARI SANAD.** Deed of grant by the Government of privilege or right to *zamindars*.

ZAT-SARANJAM (Mar. from P. *zat*, person and *saranjam*, accomplishment). Grant of lands or the revenue on condition of personal service.

ZILADAR (Ar. *zila*, a division, a district, P. *dar*, holder, from *dashtan*, to hold). A provincial governor.

ZIRAAT (Ar.). Agriculture, cultivation, farming ; a cultivated farm or field.

ZUBANI (P. *zuban*, tongue, language, deposition). A verbal declaration.

ZUFTY-TAHSILDAR, *see* **ZABTI TAHSILDAR.**

APPENDIX.

OPINIONS OF EXPERTS.

(EXTRACTS).

Sir J. N. Sarkar, C.I.E., Hony D. Litt, M.R.A.S. (Lond).

I have gone through the *Index to Land Revenue Records, 1830-37*, sent by you, and in my opinion it has been drawn up on sound and useful lines, which historical workers will appreciate.

Dr Sir Shafaat Ahmad Khan, M.A., D. Litt, Professor and Head of the Department of History, Allahabad University.

I am strongly of the opinion that the indexing of pre-mutiny records in the Imperial Records Department would be most useful to research students and other students of History. My experience is that it is impossible for History students to continue their researches on various periods of British Indian History without some help of this kind. A number of my research scholars have been discouraged by the lack of such aid, and have given up their studies altogether. If the proposal to index pre-mutiny records is carried out, it will give a great impetus to historical research in this country.

Dr T. G. P. Spear, M.A., Ph. D. (Cantab), Professor of History, St Stephen's College, Delhi.

I have looked through the proof copy of the Revenue Records Index 1830-1837. I have already learnt several things I did not know before, and I look forward to making use of it during the next cold weather. I can confidently say that the Index should prove of the utmost value to scholars saving their many weary hours of searching and straining over fading writing. Specially is this so in the case of these records which do not have any manuscript indices at all. I think the Index an invaluable work, and I hope that it may be continued.

Dr Radha Kumud Mookerji, M.A., Ph. D., P.R.S., Professor and Head of the Department of Indian History, Lucknow University.

I have found your Index very useful and convenient for purposes of research. I had, of late, to concern myself, as a Member of the Bengal Land Revenue Commission, with Land Revenue Records embracing a period longer than that covered by your Index and I now feel that my labours would have been very much lightened if I could have the use of Indexes like the one you have issued. I looked up the references under words like Burdwan, Hindu College, Hooghly and a few other words at random and am struck by the usefulness of the Index. I do hope Government will expedite your scheme for completing the work begun so well by indexing pre-Mutiny Records.

Dr N. K. Sinha, M.A., Ph. D., Lecturer in History, Calcutta University.

I have gone through the copy of the Consolidated Index to the land revenue records 1830-1837. It gives me a very good idea of the scope, nature and subject matter of the documents indexed. I tried to find out what idea I could form of papers relating to certain matters in which I am very much interested—Maps and plans, records, revenue settlement and Sadr Board of Revenue, Calcutta. The indexes have given me absolute satisfaction. They are quite exhaustive and from the research point of view quite satisfactory. The indications of the condition and the distinguishing features of the papers will save the research worker much trouble.

In the Bengal Government Record office we are also preparing a consolidated Index to the revenue records. I would advise the Record office to make your consolidated Index their model.

Dr Kali Kinkar Dutta, M.A., Ph. D., P.R.S., Assistant Professor of History, Patna College, Patna.

After having carefully gone through this volume, I confidently believe that it would prove to be of immense service to the cause of research into the history of India during the first half of the 19th century. The records, indexed herein, relate not only to the subject of land revenue but also to a variety of other topics, important for the

study of administrative, economic and cultural aspects of the history of our country during one of the formative periods in the annals of Indo-British administration. This index would serve as a valuable guide to a scholar investigating into any one of these aspects. I beg to suggest most humbly but conscientiously that your kind assurance of preparing an exhaustive index of all the pre-mutiny records should be made good as early as possible to the great benefit of scientific historical studies, and also that the Indian Historical Records Commission should recommend such work to be undertaken by the Provincial Governments for their local records. It is good that you have adopted the standard method of transliteration, abbreviation and references.

Dr. Bisheswar Prasad, M.A., D. Litt., Lecturer in History, Allahabad University and Assistant Secretary, Indian History Congress.

I have gone carefully through the Index and find that it will be greatly useful for purposes of research in the history of this period. Names of places and persons with cross-references have a certain value, but for a research student the most valuable references are those which relate to some subject of discussion or topic of interest. I am glad to note that such references abound in the present Index, which greatly enhances its value. I trust you will continue this series and generally adopt the method followed in this volume. References as under the titles Delhi Province, Deputy Collectors, Canals, Government of India, Tea, etc., are most useful and I hope you will have more of such references in the succeeding volumes.

I congratulate you on this production, as I am confident it is a remarkable improvement on the old indexes I have seen in the India Office or in your own Record Department. I hope you will be able to publish the entire series at an early date.

Professor S. V. Puntambekar, M.A. (Oxon.), Bar-at-Law, Professor of History, Benares Hindu University.

I went through its contents and also showed it to my colleagues. They approve of the general arrangement and think it will prove useful for the scholars.

We welcome the index as it is prepared. It will satisfy a long-felt want.

Professor K. A. Nilakanta Shastri, M.A., Professor of Indian History, Madras University.

I have looked into the index of the Land Revenue Records, 1830-1837 so kindly sent by you the other day and I have no hesitation in saying that it has been planned on excellent lines and is likely to prove a welcome aid to research students. So far as I can judge, the index of important items is sufficiently full and informing, and the cross references adequate. I also note with pleasure that the specifications are detailed enough to enable the users of the index to apply for and obtain copies of the particular document or portions of it in which they are interested at any particular time.

Dewan Bahadur S. K. Aiyangar, M.A., Honorary Ph. D., M.R.A.S.

As far as the matter of the index is concerned, I think it is satisfactory so far, and would serve the purpose of a good hand list for consultation. Those that wish to know a little more in detail of the matter of some of the important papers referred to, will have really to go to the papers themselves. This certainly would do very well for the purpose of consultation by research students.

Rao Sahib C. S. Srinivasachari, M.A., Professor and Head of the Department of History and Politics, Annamalai University.

I received the parcel containing a copy of the 'Index to the Land Revenue Records, 1830-37,' prepared on the lines of the recommendation made by the I. H. R. Commission at their last meeting. I find that the indexed items indicate the chief points of interest connected with them; and some of the items of information are bound to be of value even to students dealing with local episodes and histories. Thus, on page 9, we have a note under the heading

Benares of the choultry founded by Collah Singhana Chetty, a member of a well-known family of Madras. That on Lord William Bentinck is exhaustive and must be useful even to intensive scholars and biographers like Mr. Thompson. The Glossary is as full and explanatory as can be desired by the average student. It indicates in most cases the languages and the roots from which the terms are derived.

The index serves most efficiently the purpose for which it is intended, *viz.*, " to enable the student to ascertain without undue difficulty the value of documents in this category with reference to the special subject of his investigation."

Dr. R. C. Mazumdar, M.A., Ph. D., P.R.S., Vice-Chancellor, Dacca University.

I have gone through the index and I think this index would be very useful from the research point of view. I hope that the Government will see its way to accepting the scheme for indexing all the pre-mutiny records in this way.

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